

## NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

SHORTHOSE FIRST IN  
WITHERS STAKE EVENT

Wins Rich Morris Park Stake  
From Mexican by Half a  
Length, With Injunction  
Third, Two Lengths Away.

Walter Cleary Lands Inter-  
national Handicap Steeple-  
chase From Neponset in a  
Two-Horse Race.

MORRIS PARK RACE TRACK, N. Y., May 16.—There were not less than 20,000 persons present when the classic Withers Stakes was run today. The track was fast and the weather beautiful. Six of the best three-year-olds in training went to the post in this event, and it resulted in a grand contest between Shorthose, of 7 to 1, and Mexican, of 5 to 1. The former won by half a length from the Wilson gelding, who was a couple of lengths in front of Injunction. Fifteen started in the International Handicap Steeplechase, at about four miles, but only eleven of them finished, as the other four fell. Walter Cleary, second choice in the betting, won by a head from Neponset, who was twelve lengths in front of Hark Forward.

Ishlana Wins Fashion.  
The Fashion Stakes, for two-year-old fillies, at four-and-a-half furlongs, was won by the odds-on favorite, Ishlana, with Mapoota, second, and Pickle, third. Luke Ward, at 25 to 1, in some of the books, won the last race of the day from Bonnhert, the favorite. Only one favorite scored, and the layers went home happy.

The Summaries.  
First race—Six and one-half furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward. Akela, 107 (Burns), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Stolen Moments, 105 (Gannon), 3 and even, second; Nine Spot, 105 (Minder), 8 and 3, third. Time, 1:21.

Second race—Selling; for two-year-olds; five furlongs. Wizard, 100 (Gannon), 4 and 8 to 5, won; Miss Nancy, 100 (Fuller), 5 and 2, second; Chockyotte, 96 (Callahan), 30 and 10, third. Time, 1:00.

Wotan, Sailor Knot, Any Day, Mimom, Sweet Tone, Pleasant Memories, Allegretto and Tamarisk also ran.  
Third race—International Handicap Steeplechase, two miles. Walter Cleary, 148 (Mara), 4 and 8 to 5, won; Neponset, 145 (Safel), 10 and 4, second; Hark Forward, 139 (Parris), 10 and 4, third. Time, 2:42.

Carrier Pigeon, Headland, The Ragged Cavalier, Tankard, Silver Twist, Land of Clover, Auto, Mystic Shriener, Judge Phillips, Imperialist, Plohn and Euphone also ran. The last named four fell.

Fourth race—The Fashion Stakes; for fillies two years old; four and one-half furlongs. Ishlana, 119 (Fuller), 1 to 2 and even, won; Mapoota, 119 (Gannon), 5 to 2 and 7 to 10, second; Pickle, 119 (Huffman), 7 to 1 and even third. Time, 0:54. Silver Mead also ran.

Fifth race—Withers Stakes; for three-year-olds; one mile. Shorthose, 126 (Haack), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Mexi, 126 (J. Martin), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Injunction, 126 (Gannon), 5 to 2 and even, third. Time, 1:41.

Sixth race—For three-year-olds and upward; one and one-half miles. Elko, 139 (Hicks), 20 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Bonnhert, 138 (McCue), 6 to 1 and even, second; Herbert, 5 to 2 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 2:01½. Zoroaster also ran.

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MARYLAND CLUB  
DRUBS GEORGETOWN

Collegians Prove Easy Marks for  
Baltimoreans.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—The Maryland Athletic Club administered a stinging defeat to Georgetown College here this afternoon by the score of 11 to 3, in a dull and uninteresting game.

The blue and gray lads were never in the running, and up to the eighth inning were unable to send a run across the plate. Bullock, the crack twirler of the local team, held the collegians at his mercy in every other inning. In the eighth, for Georgetown, Schiller went out on a grounder to first. Fay doubled to center. Morgan placed a hit to left for one bag and Fay ambled home. Dorman connected with one of Bullock's shoots and Morgan scored. Benn threw the ball wide trying to catch Morgan at the plate on the play, and Drill followed him across the rubber. This ended the run-getting for Georgetown.

The Marylanders outplayed the collegians at every point of the game, both outbating and outfielding them. The home team took a liking to Seitz' delivery in the early part of the contest, and drove him out of the box. Fay, who succeeded him on the slab, did much better.

Score by innings:  
Maryland A. C. .... 3 4 0 2 0 0 0 2 x—11  
Georgetown ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3  
Batteries—Bullock and Diehl; Seitz, Fay, and Apperius.

YALE FRESHMEN WIN  
FROM PRINCETON PLEBES

PRINCETON, N. J., May 16.—The Yale freshmen defeated the Princeton freshmen this afternoon by the score of 5 to 3. The score:  
R. H. E.  
Yale ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 2—5 12 3  
Princeton 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—3 7 9  
Batteries—Connell and Whitney; Whittlesy and Rockwell.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S  
RACES AT LOUISVILLE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 16.—First race, five furlongs. Merry Pioneer, 100 (Finley), 5 to 1, won; Rainland, 118 (Reiff), 5 to 1, second; Brancas, 105 (Lindsay), third. Time, 1:02½.

Second race—Six furlongs. Traverse, 111 (Crowhurst), 2½ to 1, won; Archue, 109 (Bonner), 4 to 1, second; Grand Mary, 97 (Romanelli), third. Time, 1:14½.

Third race—One mile. Lou Rey, 154 (Mr. Burton), 7 to 1, won; Altona, 150 (Mr. Jones), even, second; Glean Light, 131 (Mr. Farria), third. Time, 1:40½.

Fourth race—One mile. Captain Hugh Bradley, 92 (McIntyre), 8 to 1, won; John McGurk, 100 (Winkfield), 8 to 1, second; Fonsoluea, 99 (Lindsay), third. Time, 1:40½.

Fifth race—One and one-sixteenth miles. Fore and Att, 112 (Winkfield), 7 to 5, won; Lendin, 107 (Helgerson), 5 to 1, second; Judge Himes, 112 (Booker), third. Time, 1:49.

Sixth race—Two miles. Daryl, 143 (Corbly), 7 to 1, won; Dr. Nowlin, 150 (Heider), 8 to 1, second; Lord Radner, 150 (Heider), third. Time, 3:53.

Seventh race—One and one-sixteenth miles. Banana Cream, 89 (Herbert), 3 to 1, won; Insolence, 94 (Reed), 20 to 1, second; Handcuff, 103 (Boland), third. Time, 1:50½.

There is not a harder working player on the Cleveland club than Hickman. He is willing to play anywhere that he is placed.

Farrell, Davis and Van Hultren are three major league players who have had legs broken in stealing bases with in the past two years.

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DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE  
THANKS THE TIMES

Grateful for Fostering Bowl-  
ing in Organization.

## INTERIOR TEAM CHAMPION

Wins Five Games in Nine From Jolly  
Fat Men in Series for the Cham-  
pionship of the District.

The past week was a busy one in local bowling circles, notwithstanding the fact that all of the leagues in the city have closed their schedules until next fall.

Friday evening the championship of the city was decided, when the Interior Department League, winner of the Departmental League championship, defeated the Jolly Fat Men's Club, champion of the District League, the oldest bowling organization in the city.

A series of match games was arranged between these two quints in order to decide the local championship of all leagues. Of the six games scheduled each team won three, and it was found necessary to roll a third set in order to determine the winner. This deciding set was rolled on the alleys of the South Washington Business Men's Club. The Interior team won two of the three games and the championship, although it had to roll its best to accomplish its purpose.

Times Cup Awarded.  
Last Tuesday evening a final meeting of the Departmental League was held at the Palace alleys, when The Times trophy cup was awarded to the Interior team for the championship, and various other prizes were bestowed upon the bowlers for the best individual work.

The Departmental League, although the infant in local bowling circles, is probably the most popular organization of its kind in the city. It is made up of teams composed of players employed in the Government departments. The clerks took much interest in the sport, and at all of the games a large gallery of spectators was present.

At the meeting the league expressed thanks to The Times for the interest it has manifested in the young league, and it was moved to officially extend a vote of thanks to the paper for its encouragement.

## Vote of Thanks.

The resolutions follow:  
To the Editor of The Washington Times:

Sir: At a meeting of the above league, held last week, I was empowered to extend to your paper and its representatives a vote of thanks for the interest taken, and for the generous donation of The Times trophy cup to the Departmental League. This league is but an infant in the bowling circles and when it was first talked of and steps taken for its organization, your paper acted as sponsor for it, and during the entire season you have very kindly given columns of space to the subject, which has attracted much attention and created a renewed interest in the sport in this city.

The thanks of all members of the Departmental Bowling League are hereby extended to you, and with them go the sincere and hearty wishes for the future welfare of your esteemed paper. Very respectfully,

G. H. WILLIAMS,  
Sec'y Departmental Bowling League.

SCHUTT BREAKS THE  
TWO-MILE RECORD

ITHACA, N. Y., May 16.—The intercollegiate record of two miles in 9 minutes and 51 seconds was broken today by W. E. Schutt, Cornell. The track meet between Cornell and Pennsylvania was won by the former by a score of 60½ to 50½ points. Schutt covered the two miles in 9 minutes and 42.5 seconds.

Cornell won the one-fourth and two mile runs, the 100 and 220-yard dashes, the low hurdles, shot putting, high and broad jumps, and hammer throwing. Pennsylvania won the rest.

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SIX WEEKS OF RACING  
IN MOTOR-PACED CIRCUIT

Cycle Tracks Preparing for  
Prosperous Season.

## WASHINGTON IS INCLUDED

Wednesday Nights Selected as Dates  
for Local Track, Dates to Be De-  
cided at Later Meeting.

BOSTON, May 15.—Six weeks' racing in the National Paced Circuit is announced in the schedule issued by the executive committee of the National Paced Circuit, consisting of Chairman A. G. Batchelder, Col. Felix R. Wendelschaefer, Providence; James G. Kennedy, New York; P. M. Hurley, Worcester, and C. Ross Klosterman, Baltimore.

The balance of the schedule will be arranged at the July meeting. At that time riders who have failed to hold their condition will be dropped in favor of substitutes, of whom there are several, including Charlie McConnell and Louis Mettling, Boston; Hardy Downing, California, and Nat Butler, Cambridge. These riders will replace men in the schedule who may be injured or be sick.

The circuit starts with the four Saturday night meets, Lowell, Revere, Atlantic City, and Manhattan Beach. The Monday night meets, which follow, are at Charles River Park, Hartford, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh, and on Wednesday night, Providence, Worcester, Baltimore, and Washington have meets.

Three Nights a Week.  
Each rider on the circuit rides three nights, weekly, having only Friday nights and Sundays open for other races. The circuit starts on June 6, and finishes September 6, although it may be extended. Each rider is a representative of a track in the circuit. Each is provided with a single motor of the latest variety, and fourteen horse power, capable of carrying any rider faster than he wishes to go.

Only belts are used, and no broken chains will mar the sport. Large three-inch tires are used, preventing much trouble from that source. Each machine is fitted with a roller back of the rear tire, so that a rider will not fall through striking the tire.

To Divide Profits.  
The championship in the middle-distance field will be decided along this circuit. The riders score three points for a win, two for second, and one for third. A purse of \$200 is guaranteed for every 5 per cent goes to the grand prize, which will be divided among the five leaders on the circuit at the close of the season. The championship emblem will be very handsome, and very much sought for.

In the arrangement of this circuit, the paced cycle racing of America is placed upon a basis of competition such as is seen in no other country, and the riders are brought into a championship race, the interest in which will not flag from the start to the close of the season. There is every indication that the circuit will be a very pronounced success from the outset.

News of Tod Sloan.  
Pierre tells of Tod Sloan's career, and says he is on the crest of the wave of success. This diminutive jockey has a stable of his own in which are several grand horses, although the stable is run in the name of M. Charon, with whom he is associated. Tod's assortment of racing autos is the envy of all Paris. He further added that the success of Thompson, O'Connor, and McIntyre continues unabated.

Mordeau has spent the better portion of his life about Paris, although he has ridden repeatedly and successfully on the English tracks. He weighs but ninety pounds and says he can do ninety-five easily. He rides on the flat exclusively. He is thirty-two years old and says he has been riding since he was fifteen years of age. His two-year contract with M. Roseau has just expired, and being anxious to come to America, he accompanied Taulelle, and is now at his home in this city.

Both boys are to start for New York next week and will at once apply to the Jockey Club for licenses to ride.

Jack McPettridge, Philadelphia's pitcher, is one of the few society men who have broken into the ranks of professional ball. He pitched his first game Thursday and did fairly well.

COLUMBIA DOWNS THE  
TIGERS IN TRACK MEET

NEW YORK, May 16.—For the second time in ten years Columbia's track athletes defeated the Princeton runners and jumpers in a dual meeting contested on South Field yesterday in which the final score stood 58½ to 45½.

In two events, the 100-yard dash, and the quarter mile, Columbia swept the deck, taking all three places.

John R. Dewitt, the inter-collegiate champion and record holder in the hammer throw, won his favorite event with a throw of 165 feet 5 inches, making a new collegiate record, and exceeding his own best intercollegiate record of last year by 8½ inches.

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TWO FRENCHMEN SEEK  
LAURELS ON OUR TURF

Pierre Taulelle and Eugene  
Moreau to Ride Here.

## FORMER A WASHINGTONIAN

Both Jockeys Have Met With Signal  
Success Abroad and Will Apply  
for License at Once.

Racegoers will doubtless ere long see two new faces among the ranks of jockeys around the metropolitan tracks. Both are by birth Frenchmen, and have won brackets on the French and English turf.

The boys in question are Pierre Taulelle and Eugene Moreau. The former has spent the greater part of his young life in this city with his parents, who conduct a French restaurant at 1407 New York Avenue. He was educated in Canada, and there gained his first experience in the saddle. There he rode with marked success at Fort Erie for a well-known gambler of that place, who maintained a large racing establishment.

## Rode in This Country.

Taulelle then went West, and rode a few races at Louisville and sailed for France last January. He signed a contract to ride for M. L. De Romanet, whose racing stable numbers about forty horses. His success was instantaneous. Having taken on weight, weighing in at 107 pounds, he elected to ride the jumpers, and adhering to the American method of "riding high" he electrified the French turfmen, and soon became the talk of the hour around the tracks at